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APPLICATION OF SOUTHWESTERN	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TO	§	
AMEND ITS CERTIFICATE OF	§	OF TEXAS
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO	§	
CONVERT HARRINGTON	§	
GENERATING STATION FROM	§	
COAL TO NATURAL GAS		

### COMMISSION STAFF'S COMMENTS ON SUFFICIENCY OF NOTICE

On August 27, 2021, Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) filed an application to amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) to convert the three generation units at Harrington Generating Station from coal generation to natural gas generation.

On November 5, 2021, the administrative law judge filed Order No. 6 directing Commission Staff (Staff) to file comments regarding SPS's November 4, 2021 proof of notice by November 25, 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

#### I. SUFFICIENCY OF NOTICE

Staff has reviewed SPS's proof of notice documents and recommends that SPS's published and direct notices include all required information and were provided in compliance with the notice requirements of 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.52(a). Therefore, Staff recommends that SPS's notice be found reasonable and sufficient.

#### II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated above, Staff recommends that SPS's notice be found sufficient. Staff respectfully requests that an order be entered consistent with these recommendations.

Dated: November 29, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

# PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS LEGAL DIVISION

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document was provided to all parties of record on November 29, 2021 in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/Mildred Anaele	
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